

# Greenwell Point Public School



# NEWSLETTER

*School Motto – Growing and Learning Together*

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Term 3 Week 3

## DATES TO REMEMBER

### AUGUST

- 3** Kindergarten celebrating 100 days
- 8** STEM DAY @ Shoalhaven High for Year 6 students who are attending Shoalhaven.
- 10** Athletics District
- 15-19** Science Week



**My School Connect for all canteen and uniform orders.**  
**All canteen orders to be placed NO LATER than 8:30am on canteen days.**

### **NO HAT NO PLAY**

**No hat will be given to any student who forgets their hat. They will play under the cola.**

### **IMPORTANT REQUEST**

Please **DO NOT** bring peanuts or use peanut butter at school.

## PRINCIPAL'S REPORT:

Dear Parents,

This weather continues to wreak havoc on school activities and outings. The District Carnival due to be held this week has again been moved to another date and unfortunately a new location. The carnival will now be held at Myimbarr Community Park, Wattle Road, Flinders/Shellharbour on Wednesday 10<sup>th</sup> August. Due to the logistics of the day, also we are now relying on parent transport for all competitors and each parent being responsible for their child on the day. A new note for this event was sent home yesterday. Please ensure you read it carefully before signing and returning.

Unfortunately, with increased illness in our community, I am asking that parents be vigilant and keep students at home if they have any flu like symptoms. We do currently have families with COVID and influenza who are isolating at home. If a family member is in isolation, then students in that household, who test negative on a RAT and have no symptoms can attend school but will need to wear a mask. We received more Rapid Antigen Tests, so if you require them, please contact the school.

This week is officially Education Week, with schools across the state celebrating Public Education. This year we have decided to combine our celebrations into Week 5 and Week 6. Week 5 is Science Week and we have as a school decided to have a few fun days of science related activities. The children are very excited, as are the teachers. This celebration aims to raise the profile and increase the public understanding and public appreciation of science, innovation, engineering, and technology, and their role in maintaining and improving our society, economy, and environment. It also aims to encourage an interest in science pursuits and to encourage younger people to become fascinated by the world we live in.

In Week 6 we are celebrating Book Week. We will hold our annual Book Week character parade and Book Fair. We will combine this with our whole school assembly. Start getting those costumes ready!

Have a great week,  
Catherine Secombe

## BOAT AWARDS WEEK 2 & 3

### Congratulations



- K/1: Doug, Isla, Cody & William  
1/2: Savannah, Lila, Tre & Yadhvi  
2/3: Patrick, Xaviar, Summer & Harlow  
3/4/5: Massey (twice), Bella & Adam  
5/6: Olivia, Mikaela, Kya & Ruby



## BIRTHDAYS

### Congratulations and Happy Birthday to:

- Grace in K/1 turns 6 today.  
Isaac in 1/2 turns 7 on Wednesday.  
Knox in 5/6 turns 12 on Saturday.  
Nikola in 5/6 turns 11 on Sunday.  
Isaac in 3/4/5 turns 11 on Wednesday week.  
Chayse in 1/2 turns 8 on Thursday week.  
David in 5/6 turns 12 on Thursday week.  
Ruby in 5/6 turns 12 on Sunday week.

## KINDERGARTEN 2023

The school is now taking names for Kindergarten 2023, if your child is starting kinder next year could you please notify the office and let your friends know also.

## YEAR 6 SHIRTS

A reminder if interested in a second Year 6 shirt, please contact the school ASAP.



**nab AFL Auskick**

# Register Now!

**SHOALHAVEN AUSKICK STARTS NEXT SUNDAY!**

IF YOUR BOY or GIRL IS TURNING 5 TO 12 THIS YEAR

**It's time to register with Shoalhaven AFL Auskick**

Shoalhaven Auskick Centre is starting soon this program focusing on fun, participation, basic skill development in a safe & friendly environment?

**WHERE:** West St Oval  
**STARTING:** Sunday 7<sup>th</sup> August  
**WHEN:** Sunday Mornings for 8 weeks  
**AGE:** Boys & Girls Turning 5 to 8 Years  
**TIME:** 9 to 10am  
**CONTACT:** Call John 0411 226 086

Use your "Active Kids Voucher" from Services NSW to cover the complete \$100 cost of registration.

**Visit [play.afl/auskick](https://play.afl/auskick)**

**ACTIVE KIDS**

To Register → 

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REGISTRATION DETAILS - PTO

## COMMUNITY NEWS

### SHOALHAVEN AUSKICK:

Shoalhaven Community AFL Auskick (for boys & girls 5 to 12 years old) will be starting on Sunday 7<sup>th</sup> August at West St Oval. This runs for 8 weeks on a Sunday morning from 9am to 10am. Contact John 0411 226 086. Use your Active kids vouchers from Services NSW to cover the complete \$100.00 of registration.